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Andrew Gilmour, M.P.P. Shows Up Government's Alleged Patriotic Fund Tax

Edmonton, March 26.—Demanding to know whether or not the provincial treasurer was prepared to deny that \$2,000,000 might be raised under the supplementary revenue tax act, instead of \$1,000,000 as claimed by the government, A. Gilmour (Lacombe) was unable to secure a definite denial of the statement yesterday. The gist of the statement of the finance minister is that the tax has been merely guess work, based on no definite figures as to the acreage or near-accurate knowledge of the grades of land.

Great opposition is being brought to bear against the spirit of the tax, which appears to rankle in the minds of a great number of the members, prominent among which are the independent. There is a feeling in the house that the government if not responsible for having fostered the report that the tax was for purely patriotic purposes, or essentially so, has at least done little to disabuse the general public of the impression. The debate on this bill has been very bitter from the introduction of the measure. Perhaps the most amusing feature of the proceedings yesterday was the spectacle of two cabinet ministers quarrelling, when a lull in opposition criticism occurred. The situation was precipitated by the Hon. J. R. Boyle, airily informing the provincial secretary, Hon. G. P. Smith, of where the latter erred. Spice was added to the scene by the humorous interjections of the leader of the opposition, who appeared anxious to help the engagement along.

A. Gilmour, the Lacombe firebrand, took another thrust at the minister when he asked him if \$2,000,000 would be raised instead of \$1,000,000.

The minister declared that it was impossible for him to say just what would accrue in view of the fact that it would depend entirely upon what rate prevailed. This did not satisfy Mr. Gilmour who persisted: "Will the minister say it is not possible to raise the large sum."

"Good Lord, how can this question be answered," was the premier's de-vout supplication.

"How much acreage is there?" asked Mr. Gilmour, to which Mr. Mitchell confessed ignorance. When the questioner finally tied the minister down to the statement that the entire basis of the tax was merely guesswork, the latter was quite put out.

"Why persist?" queried Mr. Weir. "Of course the minister does not know how much will be raised or how it will be raised. Didn't the premier call on the good Lord to help him reply?"

AVERAGE WAGES OF FARM HELP

The average wages paid for farm help during the year 1917 have increased substantially since 1916 and have again reached the highest level on record. In many cases they are double what they were before the war. For the whole of Canada the wages per month of farm help during the summer including board average \$63.63 for men and \$35.31 for female help as compared with \$43.23 and \$22.46 in 1916. For the year 1917, including board, the wages averaged \$61.60 for males and \$36.4 for females as compared with \$35.7 and \$22.8 in 1916. The average value of board per month is returned as \$19.44 for males and \$14.79 for females as compared with \$17 for males and \$13.00 for females in 1916. By provinces, the average wage per month for males and females respectively, in the summer season, including board were as follows: Prince Edward Island \$59.74 and \$22.63; Nova Scotia \$52.75 and \$26.43; New Brunswick \$57.19 and \$28.14; Quebec \$59.09 and \$28.98; Ontario \$59 and \$31.66; Manitoba \$67.97 and \$40.29; Saskatchewan \$73.21 and \$41.09; Alberta \$76.09 and \$44.44; B.C. \$78.12 and \$48.30.

AMERICANS MUST POUR MEN INTO THE FIGHTING ZONE

London, March 29.—Referring to Premier Lloyd George's urgent appeal to the United States for men, as sent through the Earl Reading, British High Commissioner, the Daily Mail says:

"This nation and its Allies must be prepared for another month, perhaps two months, of continuous fighting. To meet the stupendous efforts and even deeper exertion of the enemy, our forces and those of our allies must be on equal scale."

The newspaper then briefly sums up America's effort since entering the war a year ago, and continues:

"With this record many Americans are by no means satisfied. It hurts them to think that in the battle of battles they are not playing a greater part. We think their self-reproach is exaggerated, but undoubtedly the German offensive will not have been without its use if it spurs America to concentrate on the problems of raising and landing in France the great

est number of trained soldiers. That is the main assistance America can render us at this crisis."

ENEMY CANNOT CONQUOR SAYS FRENCH CHIEF

Paris, March 29.—"The enemy will not conquer our resistance," said Premier Clemenceau when surrounded by deputies at the Bourbon Palace upon his return from the front this evening.

"I do not wish to pose as a prophet that is not my habit, but, come what may, they will not break through." An incident showing the wonderful morale of the French troops was related by the Premier. A battalion of territorial troops arriving at the front line yesterday, were found awaiting the order for a counter attack, sitting unconcernedly in a mud field within range of the German shells, which were breaking in the immediate vicinity.

"What are you doing here?" asked M. Clemenceau.

"We are at rest," responded a soldier quietly.

Class B Men Called Up

Ottawa, Mar. 29.—Responding to a demand from the military authorities that military service council has decided to call up for service men in medical category (B) under the military service law. Category (B) men are liable for overseas but not for combatant service. They are being called out because of the necessity of securing more men for railway construction and similar work.

The memorandum follows: "A military demand for men for railway construction and other similar work has arisen and it has therefore become necessary to draft all men in medical category (b) in respect of whom no other grounds for exemption exist."

"The Military Service Council is therefore issuing instructions to registrars to take immediate steps to call up such men."

TO BEAT "SUB" BY TUNNEL

Britain may burrow under the bottom of the sea to beat the submarine. Representatives of big American contractors have broached the subject of building the channel tunnel to connect Britain with France. The project has evidently passed the talk stage, because American tunnel builders are arranging for the job. Surveys and plans have been prepared for over half a century by French and English engineers. There has never been any doubt as to the plan's practicability. Now the shipping shortage makes it probable the work will be pushed as a war measure.

Shipping necessary to maintain the communications of the British army in France has been estimated all the way from 1,700,000 to 6,000,000 tons. Construction of the tunnel would release all these ships for hauling wheat from America, Canada, Argentina or Australia. The work of loading and unloading army freight at the British and French ports would be done away with, and the movement of shell and food speeded up.

The ocean voyage from America would be shortened also, as ships could land at western British ports and load direct into cars, which would go right to the American front in Lorraine.

It is believed that a six-track tunnel is in consideration. It would be 30 miles long, bored through solid chalk, which underlies the channel from Dover to Calais.

The first attempt to bore the tunnel was made in 1805, when a company was formed and French consent obtained, but Britain vetoed it, out of fear of invasion by surprise. In 1883 the plan was again rejected.

British Line Will Hold

The important fact is not that the British line has been withdrawn. That may be of much significance or little. The important point is that the line has not been broken through. Unless the enemy can make a clear break in the British forces and pour an army through the gap to sweep westward to the Channel ports or south upon Paris he cannot win. That the line has been pushed back does not prove that it can be broken. That it has not without breaking shows that it is elastic, and so long as it does not break the more elastic the worse for the assailants. A celebrated brand of woven wire fence has its chief merit

the fact that it gives before the rush of a herd of cattle or a band of horses. If it did not give it would break. Because it gives, it does not break. And the recoil when the wire contracts is very effective in subduing the ardor of the fractious beasts. The German forces are somewhat in the position of the animals running into the wire fence. So long as the British line remains intact, the more it gives the more exhausting the advance of the enemy, and the more severe will be the rebound when his onrush has lost its force.

DO NOT SAY MUCH

Amsterdam, March 27.—The part reported to have been played by American troops in the attempt to relieve the British flank near La Fere, is referred to briefly by most of the German war correspondents, but so far no mention of has been made of the presence of Americans among the prisoners.

Mr. Hoehler of the Tagblatt, says the Americans now have an opportunity to find out what war really means. The Deutsche Zeitung says the fact that the Americans got "a severe lesson" is especially gratifying to us.

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NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax enforcement return for the Village of Bentley Province of Alberta.

Take notice that his Honor Judge J. J. Mahaffy of the District Court of Red Deer, will at the sitting of the Court, held in the Town of Lacombe on Tuesday, May the 28th, 1918, confirm the tax enforcement return for the Village of Bentley.

Dated the 26th day of February, 1918, at the Village of Bentley, in the Province of Alberta.

Herbert Thorp Secretary-Treas.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the estate of Frederick W. Schlichting, late of Walla Walla, in the state of Washington, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Frederick W. Schlichting who died on or about the 19th day of July A.D. 1915, are required to send to A. M. MacDonald, the undersigned Solicitor for the said Administrator, or for the Administrator, by post prepaid at the post office, Lacombe Alberta, on or before the first day of May A.D. 1918, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them duly verified, and that after that date, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with the solicitors.

Dated at Lacombe, in the Province of Alberta, this 28th day of March, A. D. 1918.

A. M. MacDonald, Solicitor for the said Administrator, Lacombe Alberta. Ap3-3

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Estate of Peter Johnston, late of near the Town of Lacombe, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Peter Johnston, who died on or about the 12th day of January A. D. 1918, are required to send to the Executrix of the said estate Hilma Emelia Johnston, by post prepaid at the Post Office, Lacombe Alberta, on or before the 1st day of May A.D. 1918, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them duly verified, and that after that date, the said Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto; having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with her.

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Military Service Act

Important Announcement to All EXEMPTED MEN and to the Public Generally

IN dealing with the very large number of claims for exemption brought forward for consideration in connection with Class 1 under the Military Service Act, it has occurred, as was inevitable, that as a result of false statements and difficulties put in the way of investigation, some individuals have secured exemption whose proper place is in the Army.

It is not the intention of the Government to allow these men to evade permanently their obligation to bear their part in the military defence of the Country and of the ideals for which we are fighting. To do so would defeat the purpose of the Act, and cause grave injustice to men in the second class necessarily called out to fill their places.

Exemptions Granted on False Grounds

It is, therefore, proposed to scrutinize carefully all exemptions granted to date in order to separate those which have been granted on false or insufficient grounds from those that are well founded.

With this object in view the various Registrars under the Military Service Act have been instructed to issue a series of questionnaires to exempted men. These questionnaires must be filled up correctly and returned promptly under penalty of forfeiture of exemption for failure to do so.

Exempted Men Who Have Changed Address

It is therefore important in their own interest that all exempted men who have changed their address since their exemption was granted and who have not already notified the Registrar of such change should notify him at once. Under the Regulations it is the duty of exempted men to keep the Registrar advised of any change of address, and failure to receive the questionnaire by reason of neglect of this duty must be treated as equivalent to failure to return the questionnaire after receipt.

Citizens Urged to Assist

In many instances information has been furnished by members of the public which has led to the cancellation of exemptions obtained by false or misleading statements. Further co-operation of this character is invited. The Government regard it as the Duty of all loyal citizens, not only to the Country, but to the men at the front, to assist in this way in securing reinforcements on a just and legal basis. Correspondence of this character will be treated as strictly confidential and will receive the fullest investigation.

CHARLES J. DOHERTY,
Minister of Justice.

Correspondence should be directed to J. M. Carson, Esq., Registrar under the Military Service Act, Calgary, Alta.

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INEFFICIENCY AND TREASON IN U. S. WAR MANAGEMENT

The Providence Journal is handing out some hot stuff regarding the United States construction of airplanes.

The program of the Aircraft Production Board was 22,000 planes for the army and 6000 for the navy. The full program called for 100,000 planes. Six million feet of spruce, half to be delivered before the end of the year. Only twelve million instead of fifty million were delivered.

After spending over six hundred million dollars the Aircraft Production Board had only shipped one fighting machine, and it is not yet in France. Less than 1500 school and training planes had been produced. Seven British battle planes had been produced. Six were under readjustment after completion, and as yet unfit for service.

The great Curtiss plant at Buffalo, covering over 40 acres, had produced only one machine, a Bristol model that could not leave the ground except for a few feet. The plant should turn out fifty planes a day. Not one fighting plane was turned out during February. The contract was for twenty-five planes in this month.

Not one of the Model T flying boats had been delivered up to March 15. The Journal charges that delays are caused through misfits and changes deliberately designed to cause such delays. One plant that had only turned out 18 motors since last June, were early in March given an order for 300 Model F boats. Similar conditions exist in all the plants. Instead of orders being sixty days behind schedule, they are many months behind.

The Journal charges delay in handling all along the line, the result of deliberate intent to hinder the effective participation of the United States in the war. A committee appointed by the president is investigating.

WAKING THEM UP

Senator Lodge made a speech in the U. S. Senate yesterday that must have got under the skin of the administration in more ways than one. The German offensive and British retirement on the West Front in France was a little more than he could stand and he told some plain truths in a plain blunt way, said he:

"We have no fighting planes in France. We have not a fighting plane there," he continued. "Our front is undefended in the air. French and British have use for every plane they can bring out and our men are not defended. We have no guns in France except a few old coast guns. That's the hard fact."

"Six months was wasted while we were trying to improve the French 75 mm. gun, the best in the world and now we have no guns and have gone back to the French plan—six golden months wasted."

"We have turned out only two American ships, although the country has had to believe there were 36 ships. Some of these were obtained from foreign countries and completed by the shipping board which has been in existence since September 1916."

However, there is nothing specially remarkable in our neighbors to the south. They have delayed selecting a gun for use probably longer than in war, but in this they are certainly no worse than the British, who, though they were warned about it years ago, refused to believe in the possibility of such war as they are now in the thick of and made absolutely no preparation for it. Uncle Sam experimented with a new machine gun rather than adopt the one already in use, with the result that he has one now that is simpler and more efficient than any other, which is not too bad.

As for his ship programme, he has been up against all sorts of delaying trouble, not the least of which has been the pro-German influence operating among the workmen. He is away behind on his ship promises, but he is now beginning to come strong and it would surprise no one if having overcome the difficulties, he should make good by the end of the year with the full number of ships he promised.

Nevertheless, Senator Lodge's talk will do no harm. In fact, it will be better for everyone if there were more of this plain speaking, not alone in the United States, either. We are all of us inclined to take things too easily, considering the times we are living in. So far from the scene of the conflict, it seems difficult for many of us to make the war appeal a personal one. Such a struggle as is now in progress in France should wake us up.

JAPAN IN SIBERIA

The downfall of the great Russian state is an event so tremendous that it must inevitably disturb the balance of national power all over the world. In Europe the Germans have already set to work to carve the prostrate bulk of the Slav empire to suit their own purposes; and in the Far East also, where the cars held vast possessions, we must expect to see changes made in the geography, and

therefore in the economic and political future of Asia.

Japan, the only oriental power that is in a position to profit by the Russian disaster, has suggested to the allies the advisability of landing troops at Vladivostok to insure peace and order in eastern Siberia and to protect the military supplies that were on their way to the Russian front when the breakdown of the National organization put an end to the use of the Trans-Siberian railway. The Allied powers have apparently agreed, partly because they think some sort of authority desirable in a region that is at present quite without orderly administration, and partly because they see no way of preventing Japan from doing what it suggests and do not want to run the risk of turning an ally into an enemy by interposing a futile negative on its plans.

At the same time, there are disquieting aspects to the situation. It is reasonably certain that whatever public sentiment exists in Russia will regard the landing of Japanese troops at Vladivostok as an unfriendly act intended to take advantage of the revolution; it will go far toward making the breach between Russia and its former Allies complete. That would assuredly be the case if Japan found occasion later to declare the temporary occupation of eastern Siberia permanent, and it would be a misfortune of the most serious nature.

Ussuri province, which lies north and west of Vladivostok, is a fertile agricultural region; both it and the northern end of Saghalien Island, which lies off the coast, are rich in coal, oil and other mineral resources. Japan would find in them very valuable additions to its national wealth, and it is impossible to deny that the Japanese would be the first to urge that this whole Pacific coast is by natural justice much more closely united to the chain of islands just across the Sea of Japan than to the Russian Homeland four-thousand miles away. Moreover, it is doubtful whether for years to come there will be any Russian government that will be capable of administering lands so far distant. If there is not, then eastern Siberia, although it might re-

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Bay pony mare, white star on face and slight split in ear, branded

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At Young Bros., N. E. 40-27-W4, 4 miles west and 2 miles south of Lacombe, one light bay gelding branded

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the estate of John Horsley Nichol late of near the town of Lacombe, in the Province of Alberta, Farm Servant, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claim upon the estate of the late John Horsley Nichol, who died on or about the 1st day of July, A.D. 1917, are requested to send to the Executor of the said estate, John Dickson, by post prepaid, at the Post Office, Lacombe, Alberta, on or before the 15th day of April A.D. 1918, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them; fully verified and that after that date, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with him.

Dated at Lacombe in the Province of Alberta this 7th day of March, A.D. 1918.

A. M. MacDonald, Solicitor for the said Executor Lacombe Alberta.

PRIVATE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Commencing April 1st and continuing until everything is sold, consisting of Iron Bed, complete; Extra set of coil springs; large No. 17 heater; kitchen range; 25 lengths of stove pipe; 2 burner Perfection oil stove and oven; Extension table; Dinner set (96 pieces) Soup set; Morris Chair; Bookers; kitchen chair; Extension Couch; Sewing Machine; Washstand; toilet set (12 pieces); Several small rugs; Large rug 10X12 1/2; Pictures, several sets of shelves; Set of Encyclopedias; the Practical Reference Library. Set of Harvard Classics, 50 Volumes; new Clothes horse; Coonskin coat; Hammock; Steel door mat; Window shades; Kettles; Jars, Dishes, tubs; sawlers; 5 gal oil can, horse blanket, bedding, potatoes, carpenter tools, garden tools, several jars of pickles, 3 pure blue Wyandotte Cockerels, 5 pigs in prime condition, and other articles too numerous to mention.

T. L. WARRICK
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NOTICE

Take notice, that the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Lacombe was confirmed in respect of the herein described lands at the court of Confirmation held at Lacombe on the Eighth Day of May, 1917, and unless such lands are redeemed on or before the Eighth Day May, 1918, the same will be absolutely forfeited for nonpayment of taxes.

Dated at Lacombe, in the Province of Alberta, this twenty-second day of March, 1918.

N. E. Carruthers,
Secretary Treasurer of the Town of Lacombe.

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Note the Shoulders of the
**The Guaranteed
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SHIRT**

See their generous cut. There's no skimping; no drawing or straining at the arm holes to cause a bosom to bulge; no binding under the arm in a Forsyth Shirt.

Men's Shirts

We have just received a new shipment of these high quality shirts in many neat colored and stripe designs. Priced from \$1.25 to \$2.00. All sizes 14 to 18.

MEN'S MERINO UNDERWEAR

Medium light weight for spring wear. Long sleeves and ankle length drawers. Shirts and drawers and combinations, sizes 34 to 42, per suit \$1.75.

MEN'S BLACK COTTON HOSE

Extra quality two-thread seamless half hose. Fast dye. Lisle finish. Sizes 10 10½ and 11. Special per pair 25c.

Ladies' White Canvas Shoes are Here

These are made of a good quality white canvas and have flexible leather soles; heels are either canvas covered or enameled, have screwed on leather caps; high top and recede toe. Sizes 3½ to 6½ per pair \$3.95.

MEN'S STRONG WORK SHOES

This boot is made from a heavy tan grain leather; has solid leather soles and heels leather insoles. Soles are standard screwed and stitched. Sizes 6 to 11. Special per pair \$4.25.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT SPECIALS

Tuxedo Baking Powder, 5 lb tins 95c.
Nabob Baking Powder 1 lb tins 25c.
Nabob tea, black, per lb 50c.
Peanut Butter, Squirrel brand, lb tins 40c.
Maple Syrup, Canada's Best, quart tins 65c.
Arlene Honey, 5 lb tins pure honey \$1.75
Seeded Raisins, full lb. pkg. 15c.

THE LATEST STYLES IN SPRING BLOUSES

In lovely soft crepe de chimes and Shantung silk, in a great variety of designs and colors that are delightfully springlike.

THE PRICES ARE VERY REASONABLE
\$5.25 to \$7.75

WOMEN'S FINE CHAMOISETTE GLOVES

In black or white. Strong wearing quality and will wash well. Have two dome fasteners. Sizes 6½ to 8½, per pair \$1.25.

LADIES SILK ROOT HOSE

In black or white. Good, strong wearing fiber silk; double toes and heels; lisle tops. Sizes 8½ to 10, per pair 50c.

OUR RAILWAY

Train service to Gull Lake and other points west of Lacombe, Alberta will be carried out this year, and on this line will appear for the first time in the province of Alberta a train driven by gasoline hydraulic transmission. W. D. Brown engineer of the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Railway arrived in Lacombe a few days ago to complete the arrangements of a schedule for the service this year.

The line now extends 20 miles west of Lacombe. It runs to Gull Lake and from there to Bentley and shortly will be opened up to Rimbey. A rich agricultural area will be opened up by this railway and already \$120,000 worth of hogs have been carried over the line in six weeks. There will be at least a quarter of a million bushels of wheat more produced this year than formerly as a result of the branch line thrown out by the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Railway. This organization is working under the control of the provincial government.

The cost of running the train will be only three cents a mile as it is started on gasoline and changed over to kerosene. The transmission oil is not consumed but keeps circulating and reverse speed can be obtained by alternating the flow of oil.

The gasoline hydraulic transmission consists of an ordinary gasoline engine of 80 h.p. directly connected to a centrifugal oil hydraulic pump with seven pistons. The power is then transmitted through steel pipes to two motors placed in the rear truck. From

the motors it drives direct to the axles by means of a silent chain 10 inches wide. The final drive shows an efficiency of 90 per cent owing to the absence of gears and clutches, and allows an unlimited number of speeds both forward and reverse which are operated by a single lever control. This system uses ordinary lubricating oil to make the hydraulic pressure which ensures perfect lubrication and practically eliminates wear. The engine runs on kerosene, which makes the operating cost very small.

The transmission in this is the same as the tanks being used by the allied forces in the fighting zone on the western front. Mr. Brown is going to try to incorporate it into a tractor, for the absence of gears will be a great help to the farmers, it being quite simple to handle. There would be only one lever to manipulate and on the tractor this would be an additional advantage.

Mr. Brown went overseas with the Calgary battalion under Lieut-Col. Morfitt, but he was sent back to Canada to perfect his invention and continue the engineering work on the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Railway. Since returning to this country Mr. Brown has been working diligently on the invention. He spent practically all his time at the Ordnance shops, and is just returning to the scene of the actual work up north.

The advantage of this line will be felt through the entire west of the Lacombe district and it is felt that the new system will spread generally and the machine is certain to gain great prominence.

CLEAN UP!!—NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF LACOMBE

Garbage shall be held to mean solids and liquids arising from the cooking or treatment of vegetables, fruit, fish, meats, or any material that would attend the preparation, use, cooking or storing of household provisions, and it must be cleaned up and removed by the householder.

Miscellaneous Refuse means all rubbish and refuse (other than ashes, garbage and night soil) incident to the ordinary conduct of a household. It will be held to include sweepings, paper, waste paper boxes, etc., but not to include materials that may result from the repairs to yards or dwellings or other building operations, and must be cleaned up and removed by householder.

Ashes shall be held to mean ashes from coal or other fuels and will include other substances such as bottles, broken bottles, broken glass and crockery, and tin cans or other broken utensils, when kept separately, and will be removed by the town if placed at the outlet at the back of the lot.

All manure and other refuse attendant to the keeping of any kind of stock, as horses, cows, hens or pigs, must be removed by the householders.

W. J. SIMPSON
M.O.H. LACOMBE

STRONGLY HELD POSITIONS RETAKEN FROM ENEMY

British Army Headquarters in France, April 2.—The British stormed strongly held German positions in a wood along the Luce River yesterday. When the enemy withdrew after sharp fighting he left the ground strewn with his dead. The Germans shelled the wood heavily after it was occupied by the British, and organized two counter attacks for the purpose of retaking it. Both were caught in the British artillery barrage and broken.

Paris April 2.—French and British Troops advanced last night between the Somme and Demuin, it is announced officially. Over most of the front between the Somme and the Oise the night was relatively calm. Heavy artillery occurred at some points.

MORE RAPID RESULTS NEEDED IN QUEBEC

Toronto, April 2.—In connection with the Quebec riots and their cause, the Star says today:

"The Military Service Act will have to be so amended as to procure more rapid results in Quebec. There are too many appeals, too much delay, and the fair and equitable enforcement of the law everywhere in Canada is necessary. This row in Quebec started of actions of the Dominion police in connection with the draft, and the same procedure that gave offence there has been used right along in Toronto and Winnipeg, Halifax and Vancouver.

NO PROCLAMATION FOR CATEGORY "B" MEN

Ottawa, April 2.—Category "B" men under the Military Service Act will receive their notice to report for service by registered mail, in each case, the notice will come from the registrar of the military district in which the man resides. As the men come within the scope of proclamation calling out the first class under the act, it is pointed out, there is no necessity for a further proclamation.

—NOTICE—

Anyone having stock in the O. K. Creamery Morningside, kindly notify the Company as to change of address since stock was taken, so that dividends may be forwarded. H. Young Secretary-Treasurer.

BARLEY FOR SALE

I have a quantity of Manchurian Barley for Sale; also 18 heifers rising three, all in calf. Apply to F. A. Jacobson, Brookdale. Ap3-3p.

PRELUDE WHEAT FOR SALE

Prelude Wheat, two weeks earlier than Marquis and of equal milling value. Apply to Paradise Stock Farm, Lacombe.

TIMOTHY SEED FOR SALE

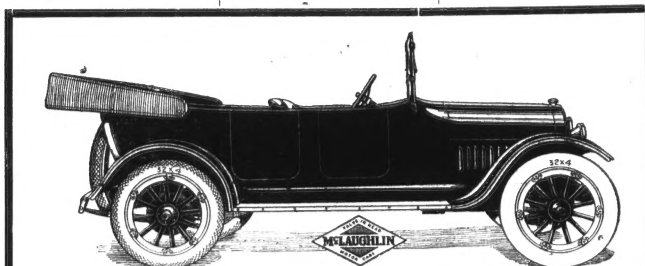
I have some Timothy Seed for sale at my farm 2 miles east and 4 miles south of Lacombe, Phone R313. C. J. Waldern.

FOR SALE

Pure Bred White Wyandotte eggs for hatching at \$1 per setting of 14. Apply Libor Peterka, Lacombe. A3-3p

BROOD SOWS FOR SALE

Ten brood sows, due to farrow soon, good ones. Apply to Fred McFetridge, Lacombe.



1918 MODEL McLaughlin Valve-in-Head FIVE PASSENGER TOURING CAR E-FOUR 35

The easy riding qualities and ample leg room of this McLaughlin four cylinder touring model makes it a car of unusual merit. It meets with the approval of those who have use for a full-powered, economical and well proportioned light touring car. This model is an improvement on model 1917 E-Four 35. A doping windshield and many minor improvements make it more beautiful in appearance and more efficient than ever.

Expert engineering, the best of material and skilled labor have produced in this McLaughlin model a medium weight car at a medium price—a car of the pleasing stream line body type, well and comfortably upholstered.

While this car is moderate in price it is really a big car and very similar in appearance to the other McLaughlin model. It has a style and finish that immediately puts it in a class with the automobiles one is proud to own.

McLAUGHLIN CARS—tax sold. The fact that there is very rarely a used McLaughlin on the market indicates public recognition of their value.

BOODE - and - MACONNACHIE
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A Fascinatingly Interesting Money Making Competition Open to All

TURN YOUR BRAINS INTO CASH FIND THE MISSING WORD

For One Attempt Enclose Twenty-Five Cents. (In Stamps or Money.)

The entry form must be signed, Particulars of P. O. Filled in and the complete coupon cut out around the double line.

COMPETITION ; NO. 2

It wants.....besides order and cleanliness, or even decent cooking, to make a happy home: it wants sympathy

Signed..... Value of P. O.
Address..... No. of P. O.

RULES OF COMPETITION:

To find the MISSING WORD read the sentence carefully, then add what ever word you think will be the best suited.

The entire money received will be pooled, less the actual expenses, and divided equally among the winners.

You can have as many tries as you like. Extra coupons can be had at this office or by mail, at five cents each or six for twenty-five cent.

No one connected in any way with the Western Globe allowed in competition.

Winners Names Published in Globe the following Wednesday.

ADDRESS ALL ENVELOPES

In the left hand corner **Missing Word Competition.**
Western Globe, Lacombe, Alberta

A. GILMOUR

Will pay the following prices, delivered in his yards at Lacombe, this week:

Choice Fat Steers	8 to 9c.
Choice Fat Cows	6 to 7c.
Extra Fat Heifers	7 1/2c.
Fat Bulls	5 to 6c.
Beef Hides	6c.
Choice Lambs	13c.

Meat Department, Phone 20, Ring 3.
Further information regarding prices can be had by phoning 20 from 7.0 a.m. till 6 p.m.
Night Phone, 40 or 101.

TRY OUR LARD

3 lb. pails	90c.
5, 10, 20 lb pails	28c. lb.

LACOMBE, ALBERTA

The Ne'er Do Well—Rex Beach. At the Rex Theatre tonight.

Mr. Clifford Jones of Calgary was a week end visitor in Lacombe.

Albert Boardman of Calgary was a Lacombe visitor during the week end.

Archie Macconnachie has a 1914 Ford for sale. It is in good order. See it.

See the Panama Canal in Rex Beach's great play "The Ne'er Do Well" at the Rex tonight.

Mr. Crawford of Lethbridge spent the week end in Lacombe renewing acquaintances.

Spruceville sent in 46 suits of pyjamas to the Red Cross headquarters last month.

There will be the usual service at St. Cyril's church on Sunday evening next at 7.30.

J. Boyd McBride, barrister of Edmonton, and Mrs. McBride, were Lacombe visitors over Easter.

Setting hens wanted this month. Apply to Libor Peterka, Lacombe, Alta.

Collie pups for sale—Pure-bred Phone 802, Lacombe. Chas. Zielle. Ap3-2p

The St. John's Ambulance Association will meet at Mrs. P. Macdonald's on Tuesday 9th inst., at 8 o'clock.

Capt. Biggar has purchased the Haunted Lake Ranch, at Alton, and will proceed to get in a crop this spring.

Misses Lilian and Winnie Dunn of Calgary are at present the guests of the Misses Perry.

The band supper and concert at Grace Methodist Church on Monday evening was well attended and greatly enjoyed by all.

Canvassers for the Victory Loan are requested to call at the office of John McKenty, Secretary to receive their cheques for commissions.

The Red Cross acknowledges with thanks \$100 from Meadowbrook Red Cross Society; \$12.75 from Ton O' Shea's turkey raffle, and \$10 from Ray Bagley's dance at Eureka School.

There will be a Church of England service at Milton St. John's next at 3 o'clock. Rev. H. Assiter will conduct the service. Subject of the sermon, "The Resurrection of Jesus Christ."

On Sunday, April 14, there will be a special service in St. Cyril's Church—"Thanksgiving for Our Soldiers who have Returned." Rev. H. Assiter will conduct the service.

The Red Cross knitters will meet with Mrs. Alex Cameron on Friday afternoon at the usual hour; the sewers at Mrs. Geo. Salter's, Day St.

Miss Ella Simpson will have charge of the music at the Rex on Red Cross Night—Thursday. Turn out and boost the Red Cross.

Peter Welsh, of Calgary, will be at Daggs' at Barn Lacombe on Friday next, to purchase horses. Horses from 1300 up wanted.

The St. John's ambulance wish to thank the Centre Valley Women's club for their donations of \$25.00 and 14 pairs of socks; also Fairview Ladies' Club for 15 pairs of socks.

The Continental Life Assurance Co. of Canada, head office Toronto, is now represented in Lacombe by H. W. Allen, the popular implement man. O. S. Moore inspector for the Calgary Western section, was in town this week, with the above local agency as the result. Mr. Moore is pleased with the prospects in Lacombe district for good business in his line this season.

RED CROSS NIGHT AT THE REX

Dorothy Phillips, star of Bloudest photoplays, will present "Bondage" at the Rex theatre on Thursday evening with William Stowell, the leading man, paired with her in a succession of gripping episodes. "Bondage" deals with events in New York's bohemia—the colony of artists, writers and musicians who spend their leisure in frivolous "night life," blending darkness into dawn. Out of these scenes has come a gripping dramatic story, to be unfolded in Bluebird artistry with Dorothy Phillips playing the best role in her career.

THREE KILLED IN QUEBEC

The Militia turned the machine guns on the Quebec rioters, and as a result three persons were killed and many wounded. Hundreds of the rioters have been arrested, and at present the military is in command of the province. The government is determined that Quebec will do her duty with the rest of Canada, and the authorities have been instructed to use stringent means.

CLIVE METHODIST CHURCH HAS SUCCESSFUL ANNIVERSARY

Last Sunday and Monday very successful services were held in connection with the anniversary of the Clive Methodist Church. Rev. W. Hollingsworth's sermons were an inspiration to all.

On Monday the Ladies' Aid served a good supper under the veteran leadership of Mrs. Geo. Reynolds, who also made an efficient food controller. This was followed by an entertainment in the hall, which reflected great credit upon all who took part. Our thanks are due to all, especially the friends from Spring Valley Literary Society. The proceeds for the day realized nearly \$102.00.

QUEBEC APPEARS TO BE UNDER GERMAN INFLUENCE

Quebec has been in throes of series of riots for the past week or so and the government will be forced to take drastic measures to get this Province into line with the rest of the Dominion. Whether German money is at work or not, Quebec is not making a record any country under the British flag should be proud of. Filled with slanders and evaders of the military service act, and headed by men who should be lined up and shot as traitors, the lot of the French Canadian Province is not a happy one at present. And not long ago Quebec was of the opinion that it should rule Canada.

MISSING WORD CONTEST

There were eleven answers sent in on the Globe's missing word contest this week, and among them were two correct answers. The two winners are:

Woin Chung, Lacombe.

Arthur Lundie, Lacombe.

The entrance fees have been divided between the two successful boys, who receive \$1.00 each. The second competition is published in this issue.

RIMBEY NEWS

Report of Easter Examinations for the Monte Vista School.

	Percentage
Grade VIII	69
May Goings	69
Grade VII	69
Pearl Goings	76
Ruth Irwin	69
Grade VI	69
Elmer Barber	63
Bernardine Donnelly	52
Leona Irwin	51
Elmer Donnelly	47
Grade V	
Edward Donnelly	73
Grade IV	
Jean Barber	94
Beulah Irwin	93
Lloyd Chiles	86

The Ne'er Do Well

TO-NIGHT
AT THE REX

Rex Beach will present a dramatization of his Great story, in ten reels for the first time in Alberta.

See the Great Panama Canal where the scene is taken.

Be early and get a seat at the First Performance.

Hix MacGillivray	75
Leslie Irwin	75
Rex Flagg	45
Grade III	
Hasal Donnelly	86
John Goings	79
Edith Goings	89
Grade II	
Cyril Barber	86
Pearl Smith	40

(missed some)
NOTE—No marks whatever have been taken off for bad conduct.
R. J. Richards, teacher.

"PHILIP HOLDEN, WASTER"

Manager Johnston has secured a Mutual Masterpiece for the Rex for Saturday night next—"Philip Holden, Waster"—with Richard Bennett in the leading role, supported by all star cast. This is a vivid portrayal of the life of a "fast" young man in New York and other large cities, and keeps the interest of everyone from start to finish. Price as usual.

LOCKHART NEWS

Following is the report of Calkins' Valley School for the month of March.

Grade 8	75
Ollie Krains	
Grade 7	83
Janes Robson	83
Ida Wetzel	
Grade 6	72
Effie Gelin	69
Ella Wilson	69
Vivian Miller	69
Grade 5 Sr.	71
Bertha Pike	69
W. Wetzel	65
Ruth Wetzel	65
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FIRES OF YOUTH

The big feature at the Rex on Tuesday and Wednesday next will be "Fires of Youth," with Fredrick Warde, the great Shakespearean actor, in the leading role. Those who saw Mr. Warde in "Hinton's Double" will not miss this later play by the same great actor. It is not often that a Lacombe audience gets a chance to see a picture play of the merit of this one, and although the films cost a great deal more than the ordinary picture play, the Rex will leave the admission price the same as usual.

Children's Glasses

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SOLID WALL OF ALLIED TROOPS FACING HUNS

With the French Armies in France, April 1.—(By the Associated Press.)—A daring attempt by the Germans to cross the Oise Sunday and form a bridgehead to permit the future advance was easily frustrated by the French forces. One of the famous storm battalions succeeded in getting over near Chauny, but never returned. It was almost entirely annihilated. There remained only about 100 unwounded men, whom the French took prisoner.

Nearly all the bridges crossing the Oise have been destroyed and the French hold strong positions on the southern bank, while all possible fords are covered by artillery.

More to the north, in the region of Moreuil, the Germans for the moment, at least appear to have renounced their general attack and resorted to local actions. Two of these were extremely violent between Marécave and the Somme. They came against the sternest resistance from the French, who repulsed them after severe fighting. Other attacks occurred on the right bank of the Somme about the same period of the day and these also met with failure.

Sanguinary engagements in which the combatants again came to close fighting and individual combats took place about the Lassigny sector. Here the French field artillery caught the advancing German forces under a tempest of shells which drove them back, but only after the ground was strewn with hundreds of bodies.

At Pionont, two German divisions which had received strict orders to execute an advance whatever might be the cost and capture a height, found themselves confronted by a French division which would not give way before the fury of the German waves. For a moment the French were forced

back, but took breath and came at the enemy again with such a rush that the Germans were driven from the height, leaving behind prisoners including 20 officers, in the hands of the French.

At no period in the war has the fighting been so fierce. The Germans intended at any cost to reach and destroy the railroad communication at Amiens connecting the north and south. Today, the 11th day of the battle, they find before them a solid wall of Allied troops which daily is becoming firmer, as they are arriving from all directions to support of the French troops.

Word must be said for the Allies aviators, who from the beginning of the battle have worked incessantly, taking the place of cavalry for reconnaissance and often descending to an altitude of 100 ft or less to attack with machine guns the advancing infantry.

BROOKSLEY NEWS

There will be a gopher tail box social held in the school house on Friday, April 26, half the proceeds to be given in prizes, and half to be devoted to the Red Cross.

Last year the children destroyed more than 3000 gophers during the month of April, which largely contributed to the good crops grown in the neighborhood. This year the need is greater, production is more essential, so it is hoped that all will work hard. We may not die for Canada, We'll work for Canada then; She's our land, just as their land, We'll deserve her, like her men. Carry on, carry on. For the men and boys are gone, But the furrow shan't lie fallow While the children carry on.

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Income Tax Forms

Are now available

Returns must be filed on or before 31st March

THE Dominion Income War Tax Act requires you to fill in one or more of the five special Forms provided before 31st March, 1918. In order to assist the public to understand just what is required of them, information on each Form is given below. Read carefully, then get three copies of the form that fits your case and fill them in. Answer all questions fully and accurately. For making false statements, a penalty of \$10,000 or six months' imprisonment, or both, is provided.

Individuals.—All persons unmarried, and all widows or widowers without dependent children, whose income is \$1500 a year or more, must fill in Form T1. All other persons whose income is \$1000 or more, use the same Form. Where any income is derived from dividends, list amounts received from Canadian and Foreign securities separately. Fill in pages 1, 2 and 3 only. Do not mark on page 4. Partnerships, as such need not file returns, but the individuals forming the partnerships must.

Corporations and Joint Stock Companies, no matter how created or organized, shall pay the normal tax on income exceeding \$1000. Use Form T2—giving particulars of income. Also attach a financial statement. Under Deductions, show in detail amounts paid to Patriotic Fund, Canadian Red Cross and other approved War Funds.

Trustees, Executors, Administrators of Estates and Assignees use Form T3. Full particulars of the distribution of income from all estates handled must be shown as well as details of amounts distributed. A separate Form must be filed in for each estate.

Employers must use Form T4 to give names and amounts of salaries, bonuses, commissions and other remuneration paid to all employees during 1917 where such remuneration amounted in the aggregate to \$1000 or over.

Corporation Lists of Shareholders.—On Form T5 corporations shall give a statement of all bonuses, and dividends paid to Shareholders residing in Canada during 1917 stating to whom paid, and the amounts.

Figures in every case are to cover 1917 income—all Forms must be filed by 31st March. For neglect, a fine of \$100 for each day of default may be imposed.

In the case of Forms T1 and T2, keep one copy of the filled in Form and file the other two with the Inspector of Taxation for your District. In the case of T3, T4 and T5, keep one copy and file the other two with the Commissioner of Taxation, Dept. of Finance, Ottawa.

Forms may be obtained from the District Inspectors of Taxation and from the Post-masters at all leading centres.

Postage must be paid on all letters and documents forwarded by mail to Inspector of Taxation.

Department of Finance, Ottawa, Canada

Inspector of Taxation, THOBURN ALLAN, Customs Building
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"Fruit-a-lives" is also put up in a trial size which sells for 25c.

MUST CONSERVE OUR FOOD

Ottawa, March 27.—A radical change in restaurants has been ordered by the Canada Food Board and, except for certain clauses, goes into force at once. The regulations contain many additional clauses and are more drastic than anything of the kind known in Canada heretofore. They apply to public eating places of all kinds including hotels, restaurants, cafeterias, clubs, dining cars, and steamships, or any places where meals or refreshments to the number of 24 or more per day are sold or served to persons other than members of the family or household of the proprietor.

After these regulations have become familiar to the public as applied to public eating places, it is the intention of the board to have similar regulations, insofar as they are applicable, put into effect for private households. The board is convinced that the greatest possible conservation of food stuffs must be undertaken by the people of Canada and that the time has come for very strict regulations and strict enforcement of them.

Penalties have been provided for the violation of the provisions of the order. Upon summary convictions before a police magistrate or two justices of the peace, restaurant keepers or others found guilty may be fined sums ranging from \$100 to \$1,000, or imprisoned for periods of three months or both. Fines go to municipalities if municipal officers institute proceedings, and to the provincial treasurer if a provincial officer secures the conviction. The board also issues notice that on and after June 1, 1918, no person shall operate a public eating place without having first obtained a licence from the Canada Food Board. The regulations do not apply to military, naval, or air force camps, and to fish curing camps and hospitals.

The following is a summary of the most important of the new regulations:

- Beef and veal must be served at the evening meal only.
- No beef or veal must be served on Wednesday or Friday.
- Pork may be served at morning meal only on Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday, and on Monday and Saturday.
- Pork may not be served on Wednesday at any meal.
- No wheat or wheat products may be served at the midday meal.
- Substitute shall be served whenever white bread is served.
- No public eating house shall serve more than one ounce of wheat bread or any product made wholly or in part of wheat flour, between the hours of 2:30 and 10 a.m. 11:30 p.m., and 2:30 p.m. and 6 p.m. and 11 p.m.
- Sandwiches made from bread and pork, beef or veal may only be served at railway lunch counters, but only at any time and at all times to bona fide travelers.
- Public eating houses shall not serve sandwiches filled with beef, veal or pork during the hours and on the days that these meats are prohibited.
- Bread shall not be placed on tables.

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in public eating houses until the first course is served.
No more than two ounces of standard flour bread or rolls or any product made from standard flour shall be served to one person, unless on special request for second serving.

No more than four ounces of bread or other product made from bran, corn, oats, barley, or other flour at any one meal to one person unless on special request for second serving.

No bread less than twelve hours baked shall be served in public eating houses except in railway trains and steamships.

Bread as a garnish, except under poached eggs is prohibited.

Wheat flour dumplings in pot-pies, meat stews or soups are prohibited.

On and after April 7, 1918, no bakery operated in connection with a public eating place shall make wheat bread or rolls, pastry or other bakery production from wheat flour other than the standard flour, or from flour containing a higher percentage of extraction than standard, without written permission from the Canada Food Board.

In bakeries in connection with public eating houses the regulations governing bakeries shall apply.

Meat and game shall not be served in larger quantities than the following portions weighed for cooking, not including bone:

- Beef 8 ounces.
- Veal 6 ounces.
- Mutton and lamb, 6 ounces.
- Fresh Pork, 6 ounces.
- Pickled Pork, 6 ounces.
- Veal and other wild meats, 8 ounces.
- Bacon 4 ounces.
- Ham 4 ounces.

Only one serving of meat or other flesh or fowl per person shall be served at one time.

No more than half an ounce of butter or oleomargarine may be served except on special request, and then not more than one half ounce may be given.

Sugar shall not be left on dining tables or counters except in railway trains and steamships.

Not more than two teaspoons or equal weight of cane sugar shall be served for the purpose of sweetening beverages.

Sugar for any purpose shall be served only when called for.

From and after April 7th, 1918, printed cards must be prominently displayed in public eating houses so as to be easily read by all guests, bearing the following notice:

"All persons, in ordering their food ought to consider the needs of Great Britain and the allies for wheat, beef, bacon and foods, and that the Canada Food Board desires the public to do everything in their power to make these commodities available for export by eating as little as possible of them, and by making use of substitutes and avoiding waste."
Or in lieu of such prominent notice, same shall be printed in red on all Menu cards.

POSTPONE THE SESSION

Everything points to a repetition of previous records in Alberta Legislature with regards to rush legislation. Though the house has been in session for weeks there are still many bills to be introduced and dealt with, most of them government legislation, and many that have not yet been handed over to the printer.

It is an unfortunate habit of legislators and Dominion governments to waste valuable time at the commencement of sessions and then in the day hours rush through important bills without opportunity being given for careful consideration. It looks as if this might happen at Edmonton this year.

We are told that if full consideration is given to bills yet to be brought in the house will be in session for possibly a month yet. It would be unfair to hold the members all that time, most of them being farmers and their presence on their farms being of a greater value to the country than anything that might be able to accomplish in the legislature. In the past the rule has been to let the members get away at the earliest possible moment by rushing through late legislation through in record time. That is bad business. There is a better way.

If premier Stewart finds that he will not be able to deal with business of importance before the house in the short time available before adjourning, why should he not adjourn to meet again later in the spring when urgent business on the farms has been done and the farmer legislators have more free time at their disposal? It would be a welcome change to be able to record a legislative session in which every bill coming before the house was given full consideration before it became law.

"MYSTERY GUN" FIRES SHELL OF 88 INCH CALIBER

Paris, Mar. 27.—The caliber of the shells that are being fired into Paris by the German long-range gun is 8.8 inches. L'Humanite Libres. Premier (newspaper) states. The shell weighs 200 pounds and contains

less than 20 pounds of explosive. The shell is provided with a fuse protected by a threaded stopper and has a diaphragm inside which divides the shell in compartments of unequal size. Two holes in the diaphragm afford communication between the two pockets. These facts are accepted as an explanation of the two explosions which on occasions have followed in quick succession and which led to the belief that two guns were firing.

AVERAGE VALUES OF FARM LAND

According to the returns received the average value of farm land for the whole of Canada, including the land improved and unimproved, together with dwelling houses, barns, stables and other farm buildings, is approximately \$44.00 per acre as compared with \$41 in 1916. The average values by province are as follows: Prince Edward Island \$43.7; Nova Scotia \$38.6; New Brunswick \$28.8; Quebec \$53; Ontario \$55.3; Manitoba \$31; Saskatchewan \$28; Alberta \$25.7; British Columbia \$149. In the last named province the higher average is due to orcharding and fruit growing.

THOSE AMENDMENTS

Sponsor for amendments to the Alberta Dairy Act, D. Markberg M.P., for Innisfail, feels moved to explain just what they are. Publication of rumors to the effect that a zone measure was to be introduced is responsible for him taking the people into his confidence thus early. Had no rumors been published probably no one would have known anything about this important measure until it came before the house for the first reading. For which reason we must give thanks to rumor for its service.

The bill as explained by Mr. Markberg is not nearly so objectionable as had been supposed. In fact it is in many respects really excellent measure. Its purpose is to give protection to the producers everywhere and to the small country creameries. Yet while doing this, it does not make things too hard for the big creameries.

According to the proposed measure the price of cream will be stabilized from day to day all over the province. Whatever price the big fellows are paying for it at one point, they must pay at all points for the day. Theoretically this seems to be a very fair and reasonable provision for protection purposes. How it would work out remains to be seen.

It is said there may be opposition to it from the producers on the ground that it will tend to eliminate competition and thus bring down the price. That would be a serious matter and fatal to the development of dairy farming if it were to happen. There may be nothing in it but if possible some provision should be included in the act to safeguard against such a situation. If there is one agricultural interest more than another in Alberta that deserves every encouragement it is that of dairying and the government should be careful to see that nothing is done to injure it in any way.

MORTGAGE SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by the Land Titles Act, under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the Post Office of Haynes in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday the 27th day of April 1918, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the following property namely:

The South West Quarter of Section Thirty-Six (36) Township Thirty-eight (38), Range Twenty-five (25), West of the 4th Meridian, in the Province of Alberta.

Terms of the sale to be 20 per cent. cash at the time of the sale, and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of the sale or on application to the Vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserve bid and free from all encumbrances, save taxes for the current year. The Vendor is informed that the above property is situated about 3 or 4 miles from the railway station of Haynes; and that there are about 50 acres of open land, 40 in timber and 50 in brush, and a lake covers the balance. The soil is black loess and the subsoil. For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to the undersigned solicitors.

Dated at Calgary, this 13 day of Mar. A. D. 1918.

Clarke, Carson, MacLeod and Co. Calgary, Alberta. Vendor's Solicitors. Refer to file 19656—JEAM

NOTICE

Take notice that a special meeting of the Shareholders of Lacombe and Blindman Valley Electric Railway Co. will be held at the Offices of Messrs Macdonald and McBride, Lacombe, Alberta on Friday, 5th April, 1918, at 10 o'clock a.m., to elect Directors to fill vacancies.

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Auction Sale At Chigwell

Having received instructions from the heir of the late Sgt. C. D. Murray, who was killed in France Oct. 30th, 1917, I will sell at A. Burnett's place, Chigwell Post Office, Sec 4-41-25, commencing at one o'clock sharp, on

Tuesday, April 9th

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- 1 Black Mare 5 years old, weight 1300, supposed to be in foal.

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NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Lacombe in the Province of Alberta. Take Notice that His Honor Judge J.J. Mahaffy, Judge of the District Court of the District of Red Deer will at the sittings of the Court held in the Town of Lacombe on Tuesday 28th day of May 1918 confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Lacombe. Dated this 14th day of March 1918 at the Town of Lacombe in the Province of Alberta.

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In the Estate of Thomas Ogilvie, late of near Belle Plain in the state of Iowa, one of the United States of America, Railway Conductor deceased. Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Thomas Ogilvie, who died on or about the 6th day of June, A. D. 1917, are required to send to A. M. Macdonald, the undersigned Solicitor for the Administrator of the said estate, by post prepaid at the Post Office Lacombe, on or before the 25th day of April A. D. 1918, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them duly verified and that after that date, the said administrator, will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with the Solicitor for the said Administrator of the said estate. Dated at Lacombe, in the Province of Alberta, this 14th day of March, A.D. 1918.

A. M. Macdonald,
Solicitor for the said Administrator
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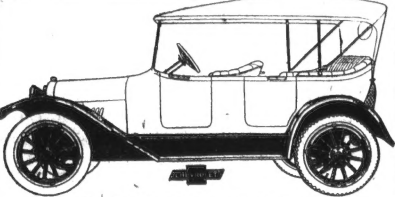
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Our men have been at this work for about two weeks now and must say it is most successful and they are having an attendance of from 46 to 100 prospective buyers and owners at each agency.

We have set April the 18th as the date for our men to be in Lacombe, and we would like to see you have as many of your customers and prospective buyers attend this meeting as possible.

We believe that this is one of the best opportunities that a car owner or mechanic could possibly have to get this information brought home to him, and we trust we shall have a good big attendance and a successful meeting at Lacombe. Please acknowledge this letter at once.

Yours Very Truly,

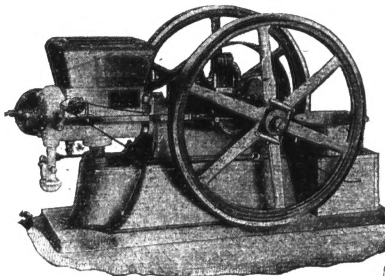
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Mary Travis 73
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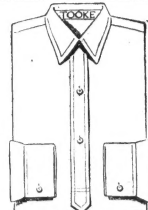
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Red Cross Sale at Bentley

Donations continue to come in for the Red Cross sale, which is set for Monday, April 8th. Practically the entire valley is united in the effort to make this sale a huge success. People who have nothing to sell are giving cash, or are putting up something they need, with the intention of buying it in.

Do not forget, the sale offers a large number and variety of farm animals including horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and chickens, etc. A good collection of valuable farm machinery and equipment. A large variety of plain and fancy sewing and home cooking.

Excellent lunches will be served at only 25c. Tea and Coffee FREE. So many valuable items are listed that it will pay the farmer within a radius of many miles to attend this sale. For more detailed information see the posters.

An additional reason for attending the Red Cross sale is the fact that a mass meeting of all farmers interested in the proposed co-operative store is called to meet immediately after the sale.

Make the Bentley Red Cross sale the best ever held in the province. The people of the Bentley District are the people who can do it.

A MEETING of the Bentley Co-Operative Society

Will be held in Bentley on

Monday, April 8

Immediately after The Red Cross Sale.

Everyone interested is urged to be present.

THE BULL SALE

Nearly a thousand bulls were sold at Calgary last week the amount of cash realized being \$211,900. As usual the Lacombe breeders got their share of the good prices, and all

came home satisfied.

Prices were hardly as high as breeders expected, but considering the very large number of animals offered, they were good. The Lacombe Annual Bull Sale will be held on usual next month.

CLIVE RED CROSS

The Annual meeting of the Red Cross Society was held in the hall on Thursday, March 21, at 3 p.m., a fair attendance being present. Mr. Roy Reynolds presided, and spoke briefly upon the work of the year. The secretary's report showed a total income for the year of \$2104.95, while the disbursements totalled \$1417.07. The thanks of the meeting was given to Walter Matthews, the official auditor, for kindly auditing the books. Owing to the increased cost of materials, our balance will soon be absorbed, and an earnest effort is to be put forth to make the new year's work the best yet. Reference was made to the devoted work of Mrs. Tension, who has knitted nearly 200 pairs of socks, and to the many willing workers who have so ably assisted Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Cooke. Over 3000 articles have been made while 38 parcels were packed and shipped to the boys in the trenches last Christmas. If gratitude is a reward for service, then the boys' letters amply repay for all the labor expended. Recent contributions to the work are as follows:

Marian Kocher	\$5.00
Part proceeds of Mrs. McClung's visit	\$8.15
Proceeds of Whist Club	10.75
Proceeds of dance	5.00
Mrs. Bickle	10.00
J. T. Reynolds	20.00

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Roy Reynolds
Vice-President, Mrs. B. F. Allison
Sec. Treas. Rev. J. G. Rogers
Executive Committee, T. Brereton, Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, Mrs. N. Long street, F. E. Allison, W. R. Morton, A. A. Smith, Mrs. Brereton.

On motion the meeting adjourned J. G. Rogers Secy.

STALLION FOR SALE

Seven-eighth grade percheron stallion dark dapple grey foaled in the year 1910, for sale, or will take part trade. James Chiswell, Lacombe. A3-3p

Government Takes Control of Electric

We have good news for the people of the West country. The Alberta Government has taken over the management of the Lacombe and Blindman Valley Electric Railway and will operate it under government control in future. The old company is absolutely out of it, and debts in connection with it cannot in future be contracted without the consent of the government.

Premier Stewart stated in the house that his government had been forced into ownership of railways sooner than was expected, but the fact that The Lacombe and Blindman Valley road had been so fearfully mismanaged under private ownership, that to

save the money already advanced by the government the step was necessary. The Premier stated that not one cent other than government money had been put into this road so far and at the present time a return showing where the money had gone was being prepared, and would be made shortly.

We learn on good authority that the extension of steel to Rimbey will be proceeded with at once, and that timbers and steel for the bridge over the Outlet have been contracted for. We are also informed that the steel for the balance of the road has been secured under private ownership, that to

such action should never be taken unless no other way out of the trouble appears. This, however, is no time for half way measures. It is a time when the government has a right to work on the theory that those who are not with us are against us. Those who are against us at his critical moment are entitled to consideration. If they are against us now when the national need is so great, they will not be likely to change their attitude by argument and appeal coupled with soft treatment. Rather they will judge that such treatment is caused by fear.

If the Union government wishes to retain the good will of the electors who voted it into power, it must see that the Military Service Act is strictly applied to Quebec province, not "in time," but now. If the government wants cheerful and willing service from the young men of the rest of Canada it will lose no time putting the Military Service Act in full force in Quebec province.

THE LACOMBE ATHLETIC CLUB

At a meeting held in the town hall on Friday evening last it was decided that a boys club would be started and that this club should be known as the Lacombe Athletic Club.

The officers and executive committee were voted for and Oliver Vickerson was elected president or manager, Nelson Gourlay, Vice-President, and Barney Halpin Secy-Treas.

The Executive consists of six members.

That the entrance fee should be \$2 was unanimously carried. Also that the Monthly fees should be 25c. was decided.

New members must be "tested on, three votes against him bar him from entrance, unless an appeal is made to the executive and sustained.

A club was formed for boys under 16. This club will be known as the Lacombe Jr. Athletic Club.

Wanted—A maid for general house work apply to Mrs. E. E. Chapman, Barnett Ave.

Time to Take Stern Action in Quebec

Rioting in Quebec City, intended to show the antagonism of the people there to the Military Service Act, may be said to have been completely successful. If it was not known before we know now that the population of Quebec is thoroughly opposed to the idea of participation in the European war on the side of the Allies. The riot coupled with the fact that so far only 566 recruits have been secured in the whole of Quebec province outside of Montreal district under the Service Act may possibly make clear to the government the fact that its policy in the French-speaking province has not been a shining success.

Union Government has been trying to humor Quebec in the matter of military service. It has been trusting

that appeals to patriotism and better judgement would bring the people there to an understanding of their responsibility. With the Military Service Act strictly enforced in the rest of the Dominion it seems that Quebec has been allowed to evade its duty. Union government had better have a second thought. In the long run it will have to deal strictly with Quebec in this matter or lose the confidence and respect of the citizens in other parts of Canada. In fact, it is already losing friends because of its slipshod handling of the Quebec situation.

Admittedly the position of the government is not easy. It is no light matter to take action that may jeopardize the peace of the Dominion, and